Concord July 6th
1873.

Dear Miss Chandler,

Now my visit to Connecticut is past, and soon to Swampscot, we shall expect you any day in Concord. Louisa is our housekeeper, and is prime for entertaining guestsespecially chosen ones. The season, too, is inviting. and you may "dawdle" delightfully in doors and out.

Come and renew past satisfactions, enshrine fresh fellowship. Remember our acquaintance dates from "67. and has its future still. Need I remind you that your fifte

epistle shows October
"67. and your latest June
"73." And that this writing
is yours

Yours affectionately,

A. Bronson Alcott.

Mrs. Ellen A. Chandler.